



9 November 2023

Dear Parent / Carer

PHYSICAL EDUCATION: DISRUPTION TO NORMAL PROVISION

We will be unable to use our Gymnasium and PE changing room facilities from Monday 13 November until approximately Friday 1 December 2023, due to urgent repairs required to the Gymnasium roof. This will impact the normal Physical Education provision which we are able to offer to some students.

The changes to the normal provision are outlined below:

Years 7, 8 & 10

Core Physical Education lessons will continue during normal timetabled lessons as usual however, students will not be able to change from their school uniforms and into their PE kits on the school site. Students are asked to arrive at school on these days wearing their PE kits. Black or dark blue tracksuit trousers may also be worn along with a JF or black hoodie, which will be permitted as part of the PE kit on these days. Students must register in the Rykniel Hall for all core PE lessons.

Year 9

All timetabled lessons will be classroom based and will focus on the delivery of theory based content to support students as they approach the start of the Options Process, which will begin in January. This will enable them to make informed choices regarding the suitability of any PE/Sport subject they may wish to choose.

Year 11

All timetabled lessons will be classroom based and will focus on supporting preparation for the Core mock examinations. Students will be directed to effective revision tasks that they can complete, which will be provided by the Core Heads of Department.

Year 10 & 11 GCSE SPORT

These will be classroom based and will focus on the delivery of the course theory.

These changes to the normal provision will begin on **Monday 13 November** and last for approximately three weeks. We will confirm when these facilities are fully accessible again allowing the normal provision to resume.

Please do get in touch with us should you have any queries or concerns regarding this issue.

Kind regards

Mr L Porter
Head of Physical Education